Hitorijime My Hero

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TRANSLATION.
DECEMBERTULIP, SHOSUKE YUU

CLEANING.
HAGANE PRODUCTIO

TYPESETTING.
JESSKULL

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#6

I LIKE DELICATE THINGS!
I CAN SUPPORT THEM, AND TEACH THEM TO STAND UP BY THEMSELVES
EVEN SO
GIVE THEM A HUG, GIVE THEM COURAGE
I'M STILL. .
THEN, FROM BEHIND, WATCH THEM MOVE FORWARD

SERIOUSLY
THE HELL IS WRONG WITH THAT GUY!
RELAX BAR
MARY
EVERYDAY HE GOES AS FAR AS TO COME UP WITH A DIFFERENT SITUATION OF HENTAI ROLEPLAY
I WISH HE'D CARE MORE ABOUT THE PERSON WHO PUTS UP WITH HIM
SHE'S IN A WORSE MOOD THAN USUAL
NORMALLY I'D LISTEN TO HER TILL THE END -
I AM ALSO IN TROUBLE
I AM, I AM'
PLEASE DON'T TEAR DOWN MY STORE
HEY ARE YOU LISTENING KOUSUKE!?

WELL,
THAT ASIDE
HOW'S HE DOING?
THAT BOY
YOU'RE HIS WIFE, RIGHT? COPE WITH IT MORE OR LESS.
THERE'S A LIMIT TO IT!
AHH- I WANNA GO HOME NOW
BESIDES, MASAHIRO DOESN'T HAVE A PART-TIME SHIFT TODAY,
THERE'S NOTHING FOR YOU TO WORRY ABOUT
AND
PFT
YOU'RE SUCH A BRO CON
YOU'D BE WORRIED ABOUT HIM RIGHT...

AS LONG AS BOCCHAN'S IN THAT HOUSE
I'LL PROTECT HIM FOR SURE
DON'T WORRY
WELL IT'S TIME TO CALL IT A NIGHT
NOT VERY SOCIABLE ARE YOU
I'M BUSY AROUND THIS TIME
UH
WELL THANKS
RIGHT
SMILE
REALLY, WHY DO YOU LOOK SO NERVOUS?
ER, NOT REALLY?

HOU-JOU ASKED ME TO HAND IT TO YOU
THIS ARE THE DETAILS ABOUT THE REUNION PARTY
fine
Will you attend the party?
Yes no
I ALMOST FORGOT
AH!
IF I TELL HER ABOUT MASAHIRO, SHE'D SLAP ME WITH HER HEELS FOR SURE
ARE YOU EVIL A HUMAN?
I'LL LEAVE YOU THEN
HA HA
A LAND-MINE
Pissi
THERE'S NO WAY I'LL BE GOING
clang
clang
WON'T YOU BE JOINING?
"DEFINITELY BRING KOU-CHAN ALONG" HE SAID
HE'LL PROBABLY CONTACT YOU AFTER THIS
WHAT IS IT ABOUT?
DID YOU HEAR THAT? NATSUO-KUN

"PROTECT"... HE SAID
DOES HE REALLY THINK HE IS THAT CAPABLE OF A PERSON?
I'M BACK
EH
HOW COME IT'S ONLY YOU BOCCHAN?
SETAGAWA RUSHED OUT FOR AN URGENT SHIFT
KENSUKE IS IN THE TOILET
I SEE, THAT'S A SHAME

PISSED
pout
YOU'VE GOT GUTS THINKING ABOUT DOING DIRTY THINGS IN YOUR TEACHER'S HOUSE
HAHA~ JUST WHEN NO ONE'S HERE TO DISTURB YOU, I CAME BACK, AND YOU'RE UPSET BECAUSE OF THAT?
Heuh heuh heuh
~~~ AND WHAT ABOUT YOU
HOTEL!!
WHO ARE YOU TO TALK ABOUT OTHER PEOPLE'S STUFF
HUH?
IF THAT WERE TO LEAK OUT, I'D GET IN TROUBLE-
OH— DON'T WORRY
HE JUST BLURTED OUT TO ME
THAT SURPRISED ME. YOU GUYS BECAME THAT CLOSE?
BY THE WAY, AREN'T YOU BEING TOO DARING?
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EVEN THOUGH I TALK ABOUT BEING CAREFREE ALL THE TIME
I'M ACTUALLY REALLY CAUTIONS ABOUT IT
WHAT'S WITH THAT?
I LIKE MY WORK RIGHT NOW, SO I HAVE NO INTENTIONS OF GETTING FIRED
ABOUT THE HOTEL I'LL ONLY CHOOSE THE ONES I DEFINITELY KNOW THAT WILL BE SAFE
I CAN'T AFFORD TO BE HALF ASSED YOU KNOW?
RIGHT AWAY HE'LL THINK "IT'S ALL MY FAULT"
I'LL RATHER HAVE HIM
SCOLD ME "KOUSUKE-SAN, PLEASE PAY ATTENTION TO THE SURROUNDINGS"
IT'LL BE BETTER LIKE THAT

WAAH CHEATING!?
smack!!
HAHA
again!?
WELL I'M NOT DOWN TO THE EXTENT OF NEEDING SOCCHAN TO WORRY ABOUT ME
Pat Pat
TV-N shop Manager SAWAMURA
北福
HA HA
PLEASE KENSUKE DON'T BE LIKE THIS
CAN'T HELP WITH IT IF IT'S WITH NII-CHAN...
IN THE END I DIDN'T HAVE THE CHANCE TO CONFACT KOUSUKE-SAN.
flips open
22:15
HE MIGHT'VE BEEN WAITING FOR ME,
MAYBE I SHOULD SEND A MAIL TO APOLOGIZE.
SORRY FOR MAKING YOU COME ON SUCH A SHORT NOTICE JUST TAKE TOMORROW OFF
UNDER-STOOD
THEN I'LL BE LEAVING FIRST

AHHH
IT'S IMPOSSIBLE FOR ME TO TEXT HIM AFTER ALL!!!
I'LL JUST TALK DIRECTLY TO HIM TOMORROW!!
thud thud
thud
thud
tap tap
tap
.....
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tok tok
tok tok
.....
THAT MASAHIRO DIDN'T CALL OR TEXT ME
THOUGH HE'S PROBABLY SPINNING AROUND IN CIRCLES FOR THINKING HOW TO WRITE THE TEXT
CAN'T HELP WITH THAT
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NOW HE'S PROBABLY THINKING ABOUT SOMEBODY TO DISCUSS WITH
.....
I'LL GIVE HIS MASAMUNE TOPICS SOCIAL WORK.
YOU TALKED ABOUT THE STUFF ON THE HOTEL WITH YOUR CRUSH? YOU BUNCH OF SO CLOSE GUYS
I STOPPED BEING ALL CAREFREE LONG AGO
HAHA, S PROBABLY NOT A GOOD IDEA
BETTER COOL MY HEAD BEFORE BED
I JUST WANTED TO SEE HOW IT'D GO
HUH DAY OFF?
NISHIYAMA-SENSEI TOOP A COLD?
YES, WE JUST GOT A CALL THIS MORNING

FRANKLY SPEAKING IT'S GOING TO WEAR ME OUT, BUT I'LL FIGURE IT OUT ANYWAYS
THAT'S SUCH A GREAT HEL-
SERIOUSLY ... CAN'T YOU JUST TAKE CARE OF YOUR HEALTH PROPERLY
UM GOSHIBA -SENSEI
IF YOU CAN LOOK OVER THE CLASSES AND TAKE CARE OF THE 3RD YEAR'S ENTRANCE EXAMS...
WAS HE'S ANGRY
THAT'S A WHOLE NEW LEVEL THAN FROM JUST BEING WORN OUT!
SENSEI I HAVE A QUESTION
AND I'M ALSO IN CHARGE OF OTHER TEACHERS' CLASSES !
RIGHT
THUD
THUD
CAN'T HELP IT
GUESS I'LL SEE MASAHIRO AT LUNCH BREAK

I WOULD'VE SENT THAT TEXT YESTERDAY
DAMMIT— IF I'D KNOWN
ALRIGHT, COME TO THE TEACHERS' OFFICE, I'LL WRITE YOU THE SOLUTION
YES!
Lunch time!
1-3
THANKS FOR THE FOOD!
BOXES RUSTLE
I MADE A BENTO FOR KOUSUKE-SAN BUT I DIDN'T HAVE THE CHANCE TO GIVE IT TO HIM
REALLY? THEN I'LL BE OPENING IT—
If Ooshiba (elder) can't have it, then we'll be the ones to take care of it~
HEHEHE
NOT REALLY
HM?
WHAT'S THE MATTER SETAGAWA

IT'LL BE A BOTHER TO HIM IF I CALL HIM OUT WHEN HE'S WORKING
WOOOOOW AND YOU SAID IT WAS NOTHING SPECIAL—
IT'S NOTHING SPECIAL THOUGH —
Ta-da!
THIS BENTO'S MADE BY SETAGAWA!
WHAT'S GOING ON—?
EHHH SETAGAWA AREN'T YOU A DELINQUENT?!
LEMME HAVE SOME TOO
SERIOUSLY!? YOU'RE KIDDING RIGHT
IT'S SETAGAWA'S HOMEMADE BENTO!
EH— SETAGAWA CAN COOK!?
TRIBUTE TO THE GODS!?
HUH!? THE HELL ARE YOU GUYS EATING?
IT'S SO BRIGHT I CAN'T SEE !!!?

I DON'T EVEN HAVE TIME FOR LUNCH
I WONDER IF MASAHIRO IS IN THE CLASS-
ROOM...
HAHAHAHA SERIOUSLY
EHH YOU GUYS ARE PLAYING GAMES AT OOSHIBA'S PLACE?
THAT'S RIGHT
WE ALWAYS GO TO PLACES LIKE 'AROUNDBO'
THEN, WANNA HANG OUT TODAY?
THE BALL GAMES DAY IS UP AHEAD!
SETAGAWA, YOU SEEM TO BE GOOD AT BASKETBALL, DON'T YOU?
I GUESS?
SOUNDS GREAT!
NAH...
I'M...

I GUESS
I SHOULD BE HAPPY ABOUT THIS

KOU... SUKE-SAN...?
EVEN SO...

THAT GUY
USED TO CRY ABOUT HAVING NOWHERE TO RETURN TO

YOU WERE SO BUSY TODAY, SO I THOUGHT YOU HAD TO WORK OVERTIME
WHAT A RELIEF,
YOU'RE HOME
ER—
WHAT ABOUT YOU, WEREN'T YOU HANGING OUT WITH YOUR CLASSMATES?
IT SEEMS THAT I DON'T REALLY GET ALONG WITH THOSE GUYS
WELL—
DID HE HEAR FROM COSHIMA?
...UM
AND MORE IMPORTANTLY —— WITH KOUSUKE-SAN

TOGETHER
SO SORRY
I'LL GO PREPARE THE MEAL NOW
EH...?
BUT
IT'S FINE
I SAID I DON'T WANT IT

NEXT TIME
I'LL BE SHOOTING FROM THE SIDES
OK— OK—
HASEKURA, YOU'RE NOT JOINING?
I'LL BE CHEERING FOR YOU HERE
breath
breath
I'D AVOID BEING SWEATY
THOUGH IT'D BE GREAT IF SETAGAWA CAME WITH US
WHY DIDN'T HE COME?
NO IDEA
I SHOULDN'T BE WORRYING ABOUT HIM ALL THE TIME
WHAT AN IDIOT

KOUSUKE-SAN!
NG
KO...
gasp
MY SHOULDER, IT HURTS
HAHA...
SEEMS LIKE I WAS A BIT TOO RUSHED
MY BAD
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DURING THE TIME WE WERE AT THE HOTEL
THE WAY I DID THAT
HMM?
SO SOME-THING HAS BEEN BOTHE-RING ME

LET ME

WELL
SUCKED A LOT, DIDN'T IT?
NO
IT WASN'T THAT BAD
CAN YOU

PRACTICE IT?

HERE YOU GO
IF IT'S JUST THE FINGERS
I'M STILL A BIT TOO NERVOUS DOING IT DIRECTLY
NGH
suck
SEEING HIM GET ALONG WITH FRIENDS
MAKES ME IRRITATED
suck
GH
suck
NGH

EVEN IF YOU ARE A KID
TWELVE YEARS YOUNGER THAN ME
SAYING THAT YOU DON'T WANT TO HANG OUT WITH CLASS-MATES
MAKES ME HAPPY
KO KOU SUKE SA...
REMEMBER HOW YOU DO IT ALRIGHT?
AHH WHAT THE HELL
I'LL SHOW YOU HOW IT'S DONE
AM I DOING?

AFTERWORDS

I THINK WE KINDA "PROMISED" THAT THIS CHAPTER WOULD BE OUT IN 3-7 DAYS FROM THE LAST CHAPTER'S RELEASE BUT ALMOST FORGOT ABOUT IT UNTIL YUU (BLESS YOU) REMINDED ME. I'VE BEEN BUSY WITH CLEANING CHAPTER 7 (JES JUST FINISHED TYPESETTING CHAPTER 6.5 WHICH I HANDED OUT LIKE 8 HOURS AGO, THAT'S MAD) AND IN GENERAL MANAGING THE GROUP... READING YOUR COMMENTS AND ANSWERING SOME, TRYING TO FIGURE OUT THINGS WITH THE REST OF THE TEAM. WE AGREED THAT WE WILL RELEASE THE CHAPTERS AT MANGAGO, MYREADINGMANGA AND (HOPEFULLY LATER) BATOTO TOO. CURRENTLY WE HAVE NO PLANS TO RELEASE THE CHAPTERS ANYWHERE ELSE, SO MOST LIKELY IF YOU SEE THE CHAPTERS SCANLATED BY US SOMEWHERE ELSE OUTSIDE OF THE BEFORE MENTIONED SITES, THEY HAVEN'T BEEN UPLOADED BY US, UNLESS IF WE'VE STATED SO. I AM MYSELF TAKING CARE OF MANGAGO, WHILE YUU SAID SHE WOULD FOCUS ON MYREADINGMANGA. THIS SERIES IS JUST WAY TOO GOOD, MY POOR KOKORO CAN'T HANDLE IT.

ALSO GUESS WHAT! YUU CAME UP WITH A NICE TEAM NAME, WHICH WE MIGHT START USING SOON, ASSUMING THAT DEC IS FINE WITH IT (SHE'S STILL ON HER TRIP OR JUST BUSY WITH SCHOOL ETC.), SO BEAR WITH US AND OUR STILL NAMELESS TEAM UNTIL THAT. ALSO CAN I MENTION HOW FAST TYPESETTER JES IS. SHE'S CRAZY. LIKE, ABSOLUTELY MAD. SHE'S NEW WITH THE SAID STUFF BUT SHE'S DONE GOOD JOB AND KEEPS GETTING BETTER AND BETTER (I USED TO TYPESET A LOT BACK THEN BEFORE THIS PROJECT BUT I DECIDED TO FOCUS ON CLEANING AND OTHER STUFF). IF I WERE TO TYPESET, IT WOULD TAKE ME AT LEAST 2-3 DAYS. MAN, I LOVE THIS TEAM SO MUCH.

- HAGANE PRODUCTIO

HEY GUYS! I'M REALLY GLAD THAT YOU ALL ENJOYED THE LAST CHAPTER SO MUCH! I HAD SUCH A GREAT TIME READING ALL YOUR COMMENTS (SORRY THAT I COULDN'T ANSWER THEM, I'LL TRY TO DO IT THIS TIME!) AND WE WERE EVEN ON TOP YAOI MANGA OF THE DAY, AND THAT'S JUST SO AMAZING!! LIKE HAGANE JUST SAID WE'VE ALREADY SETTLED FOR A NAME, AND I THINK WE WERE ALSO THINKING OF DOING A BLOG, SO PLEASE LOOK FORWARD TO IT! ALSO, REMEMBER TO SEND LOTS OF LOVE TO THE OTHERS, THEY'RE AMAZING PEOPLE THAT MADE THIS POSSIBLE!

- JESSKULL

SINCE HAGANE AND JESS HAS ALREADY MENTIONED A LOT OF THINGS, I'LL TRY TO KEEP THIS NICE AND SIMPLE. SO CHAPTER 6, THE FIRST OFFICIAL CHAPTER OF VOLUME TWO! MASAHIRO WORRYING ABOUT EVERYTHING JUST AS ALWAYS. I'M SURE WE ALL SEE A BIT OF OURSELVES IN HIM, BEING OVERLY ANXIOUS IN SO MANY THINGS, WHICH LEAD TO INSECURITIES AND, WELL YOU KNOW. NONETHELESS, WE'LL SEE HOW MASAHIRO AND KOUSUKE COPES WITH THEIR PROBLEMS IN THE UPCOMING CHAPTERS!

- SHOSHUKE YUU